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Applicants: LINBERG  
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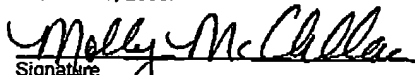
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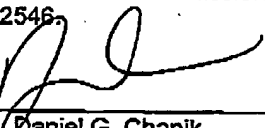
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- ☒ Applicant requests a ONE-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated June 20, 2005, from September 20, 2005, to October 20, 2005.
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- ☐ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.

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In response to the Final Office Action of June 20, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

The claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.